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Subject: RE: messages on AML ARD

Julie-- this is very general, but approved for those in the field/ working on mine projects.

EPA is working around the clock to address the Gold King Mine release help affected communities. We are committed to understanding what happened in this event, learn from it, and apply any lessons we need to apply. EPA has worked successfully to address abandoned mine impacts throughout Montana and the Rocky Mountain West.

<http://www2.epa.gov/region8/gold-king-mine-release-emergency-response>

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Folks: I outreached to MDEQ when I got the press inquiry from Butte. Kristi forwarded these talking points from the department which include a clear statement about the Bullion and a recommendation to contact Kris Edwards with any additional questions. Kris: did DEQ coordinate with you on these statements? Rich: what should our response be if we get inquiries from the press on the Bullion?

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Attached are our messages on AML/ARD – we have now received one media inquiry from the Wall Street Journal.

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